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SWIFT RESIGNS FROM FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE POST

Acting Secretary of the Interior Clarence A. Davis announced today the resignation of Ernest F. Swift as Assistant Director of the Fish and Wildlife Service.

Mr. Swift has accepted an offer to become Executive Director of the National Wildlife Federation, effective October 1, Federation headquarters are located in Washington, D. C.

Swift was appointed Assistant Director of the Fish and Wildlife Service on March 17, 1954, and has been concerned primarily with wildlife activities and field operations of the Service.

Prior to joining the Service, Mr. Swift had been associated with the Wisconsin Conservation Department since June 1926, serving as Director of the Department from November 1947 until he accepted the Federal appointment.

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